Transatlantic Studies Seminar

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"Civil Rights in the U.S. and Europe" April 2-4, 2009

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> Thursday, April 2, 2009 Civil Rights - the Beginning

16:30 - 17:00 Arrival of Students, Registration

17:00-17:15 Welcoming Remarks

Hoyt B. Yee, Consul General of the United States of America in Thessaloniki

David Goldfield, Robert Lee Bailey Professor of History, University of North Carolina – Charlotte

Theodosis Karvounarakis, Associate Professor, Department of International and European Studies, University of Macedonia

17:15-18:30 Lecture: "Toward a More Perfect Union"

David Goldfield, Robert Lee Bailey Professor of History, University of North Carolina – Charlotte

Discussion

18:30-18:45 Break

18:45-19:15 "Race and Ethnicity in the United States"

Andrew M. Manis, Associate Professor of History, Macon State College, Fulbright Fellow, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki

19:15–20:00 Panel: "Immigrants and minorities in Europe"

Immigrants in Europe

Kalliopi Chainoglou, Teaching Assistant, Department of International and European Studies, University of Macedonia <u>Minorities in Europe</u>

Iakovos Mihailidis, Assistant Professor of Modern and Contemporary History, Department of Modern and Contemporary History, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki

Moderator: Theodosis Karvounarakis, Associate Professor, Department of International and European Studies, University of Macedonia

Discussion

Friday, April 3, 2009 Civil Rights in U.S. and Europe – Looking Forward

16:30-17:00 Arrival of Students, Registration

17:00-18:15 *Lecture: "President Obama and a Post-Racial America"*David Goldfield, Robert Lee Bailey Professor of History, University of North Carolina – Charlotte

Discussion

18:15-18:30 Break

18:30-20:00 Panel: "Immigrants and Minorities: The Contemporary Legal Aspect"

The European Court of Human Rights

Paroula Perraki, Professor, Department of International and

European Studies, University of Macedonia

Immigrants and Minorities in the EU Legal Order

Vassilis Kourtis, Lecturer, Faculty of Law, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki

<u>European Human Rights Case Law and the Domestic Impact in Minority and Immigrant issues</u>

Dia Anagnostou, Assistant Professor, Department of Balkan, Slavic and Oriental Studies, University of Macedonia

Moderator: David Goldfield, Robert Lee Bailey Professor of History, University of North Carolina – Charlotte

Saturday, April 4, 2009 The Student Movements and Counter Cultures

10:00-10:30	Arrival of Students, Registration
10:30-11:15	Lecture: "Student Movements" John Dean, Professor of American Studies and Cultural History, University of Versailles, France
	Discussion
12:00-13:00	Written Exam
13:00-14:30	Lunch
14:30-15:00	Certificate award ceremony Closing of Seminar – brief remarks by Dr. Karvounarakis and Dr. Goldfield